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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action of June 29, 2007, the claims of Group II (claims 11-14) are elected with traverse. (It is assumed that the Examiner's recital of Group I as constituting claims 1-20 is a typographical error; kindly notify the undersigned immediately if this is not the case.)

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